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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No: 263-GB910021  
Prior Application Examiner: T. Reardon  
Prior Application Art Unit: 1815

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FILE WRAPPER CONTINUING APPLICATION FORM

To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

This is a request for filing a ☐ continuation-in-part  
☒ continuation ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.62, of pending  
prior application,

Serial No: 07/855,036  
Filed on: May 1, 1992  
Entitled: METHOD TO ISOLATE MACROMOLECULES USING  
MAGNETICALLY ATTRACTABLE BEADS WHICH DO NOT  
SPECIFICALLY BIND THE MACROMOLECULES

by the following named inventor: Michael Alan REEVE.

The above-identified prior application in which no payment of the  
issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred, is  
hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application.  
Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper,  
including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application.

1. ☒ Enter the amendment(s) previously filed on May 3, 1994, under 37  
CFR 1.116 but unentered in the prior application.
2. ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
3. The filing fee is calculated below on the basis of the claims existing  
in the prior application as amended at 1 and 2 above:

	SMALL ENTITY	or	LARGE ENTITY
Basic Fee - - - - -	( = \$355)	or	( = \$710)
Total Claims exceeding 20: 0 x (\$ 11 = )		or	( \$ 22 = )
Indep. Claims exceeding 3: 0 x (\$ 37 = )		or	( \$ 74 = )
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dep. Claim(s): 1 + (\$115 = )		or	( \$230 = \$230)
Total	=	\$ or	<u>\$940.00</u>

4. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fees  
associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to  
Deposit Account No. 23-0975. The original and two copies of this  
document are enclosed.
5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$940.00 is enclosed.
6. ☐ A new oath or declaration  
☐ is enclosed since this application is a continuation-in-part  
which includes additional matter;  
☐ will be submitted, together with the required fee, at a  
later date.
7. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before line 6 on page 1 the  
sentence:

--This application is a continuation of now abandoned  
application, Serial No. 07/855,036, filed May 1, 1992.--

8. ☐ Small entity status of this application is established by the  
verified statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 which  
☐ is enclosed.  
☐ has been submitted in a prior application.

9. [X] The date of priority is hereby claimed under the International Convention of British application 90 03 253.3, filed February 13, 1990. A certified copy of said British application is of record in Serial No. 07/855,036, filed May 1, 1992.

10. [X] The prior application is assigned of record to:

AMERSHAM INTERNATIONAL PLC

Reel: 6345

Frame(s): 0699-0702

11. [X] The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to: V.M. Creedon, Reg. No. 17111, John T. Miller, Reg. No. 21120, John T. Fedigan, Reg. No. 24347, Michael R. Davis, Reg. No. 25134, Matthew M. Jacob, Reg. No. 25154, Jeffrey Nolton, Reg. No. 25408, and Henry M. Zykorie, Reg. No. 27477, who together constitute the firm of WENDEROTH, LIND & PONACK, jointly and severally attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent Office connected therewith.

12. Address all future correspondence to:

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13. [ ] Also enclosed is [are] \_\_\_\_\_.

It is understood that secrecy under 35 U.S.C. 122 is hereby waived to the extent that if information or access is available to any one of the applications in the file wrapper of a 35 CFR 1.62 application, be it either this application or a prior application in the same file wrapper, the Patent and Trademark Office may provide similar information or access to all the other applications in the same file wrapper.

Respectfully submitted,

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LETTER RE: FILING OF PRESENT CONTINUATION APPLICATION

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Sir:

The present continuation application was filed to  
secure entry of the amendment of May 3, 1994 which was stated in  
the Advisory Action of May 19, 1994 to raise new issues which  
would require further consideration and/or search.

Accordingly, this additional consideration and/or  
search is respectfully requested and it is considered that this  
precludes the issuance of a first action final rejection.

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